NTSB ID: DCA05RA086 Aircraft Registration Number: 9M-MRG

Occurrence Date: 08/01/2005 Most Critical Injury:

Occurrence Type: Incident Investigated By:

Location/Time

Nearest City/Place
Perth
State
Zip Code
Local Time
1757
Time Zone
Direction From Airport:

Aircraft Information Summary

Aircraft Manufacturer Model/Series Type of Aircraft
Boeing 777-200 Airplane

Sightseeing Flight: No Air Medical Transport Flight: No

Narrative

Brief narrative statement of facts, conditions and circumstances pertinent to the accident/incident:

On August 2, 2005, at 1757 local time, a Boeing 777-200, registered in Malaysia as 9M-MRG, operated by Malaysian Airline System, experienced a pitch up about one-half hour after takeoff from Perth, Australia. This event occurred as the flight was climbing through 36,000 feet and while the aircraft was on autopilot. During the pitch up the aircraft climbed to 41,000 feet and the indicated airspeed dropped from 270 knots to 158 knots. The stick shaker and the stall warning indicator activated during the event.

The flight landed uneventfully back at Perth.

On August 29, 2005, the FAA issued emergency AD 2005-18-51 that superceded an earlier airworthiness directive. It states that operators should install ADIRU-03 software within 72 hours in their Boeing 777 aircraft. It also states that faulty ADIRU data could cause anomalies in 777 primary flight controls, autopilot, pilot displays, autobrakes and autothrottles.

The investigation is under the jurisdiction of the Government of Australia. Further information may be obtained from:

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Telephone: 1800 621 372 Fax (02) 6247 3117

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AVIATION Occurrence Type: Incident												
Landing Facility/Approach Informat	ion											
Airport Name Airp				ort ID: Airport Elevation			Runway Used Runway			h	Runw	ay Width
				Ft.	MSL							
Runway Surface Type:		•										
Runway Surface Condition:												
Type Instrument Approach:												
VFR Approach/Landing:												
Aircraft Information			_									
Aircraft Manufacturer			Model/						Serial	Number		
Boeing			777-2	00								
Airworthiness Certificate(s):												
Landing Gear Type:												
Homebuilt Aircraft? No Number	Certified Max Gross Wt. LBS						Number of Engines:					
Engine Type: En				Engine Manufacturer: Model/Series:						Rated Power:		
- Aircraft Inspection Information							•					
Type of Last Inspection	rate of Last Inspection Time Since Last Insp					pection Airframe To			ne To	tal Time		
	Hours							Hours				
- Emergency Locator Transmitter (ELT) Inf	formation											
ELT Installed? ELT Operated? ELT Aided in Locating Accident Site?												
Owner/Operator Information												
Registered Aircraft Owner				Street Address								
				City								Zip Code
			Street A	ddress						<u> </u>		
Operator of Aircraft MALAYCIANI AUDI INIC SYSTEM City State Zip Code									7: 0 1			
MALAYSIAN AIRLINE SYSTEM				City							е	Zip Code
Operator Does Business As: Operator Designator Code: NCYF												
- Type of U.S. Certificate(s) Held: None												
Air Carrier Operating Certificate(s):												
Operating Certificate:				Operator C	ertificat	te:						
Regulation Flight Conducted Under: Non-	U.S., Comme	rcial										
Type of Flight Operation Conducted: Sche	eduled; Interna	ational;	Passen	ger Only								
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AVIATION				Occurrence Type: Incident									
First Pilo	t Information			•									
Name						City	ity					Date of Birth	Age
Sex:	ex: Seat Occupied: Principal Profession: Certificate Number:										per:		
Certificate(s):													
Airplane R	ating(s):												
Rotorcraft/	'Glider/LTA:												
Instrument	Rating(s):												
Instructor I	Rating(s):												
Type Ratin	ng/Endorsement fo	or Accident/Ir	ncident Aircra	ft?			Curr	rent Bieni	nial Flight I	Reviev	w?		
Medical Ce			al Cert. Status						Date of L			xam:	
- Flight Time Matrix All A/C This Make Airplane and Model Single Engine				Airplane Single Engine	Airplane Mult-Engine	Night		Instru	Instrument ual Simulated		Rotorcraft	Glider	Lighter Than Air
Total Time							Actual Oil		Simulated	\dashv			110.11741
	mmand(PIC)												
Instructor													
Last 90 Da	ays												
Last 30 Da	ays												
Last 24 Ho	ours												
Seatbelt U	sed?	Shou	ılder Harness	Used?		T	oxicolog	gy Perfor	med?		Se	econd Pilot?	
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Flight Pla	an/Itinerary												
Type of Fli	ght Plan Filed: IF	R											
Departure	Point				•	5	State Airport Identifier Depart			Depa	parture Time Time Zone		
Same as Accident/Incident Location													
Destination							State Airport Identifier						
Kuala Lumpur													
Type of Cl	earance:							<u> </u>					
Type of Ai	rspace:												
Weather	Information												
Source of	Briefing:												
Method of	Briefing:												
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AVIATION			Occurren	Inciden	t								
Weather	Information												
WOF ID	Observation Time	Time Zone	WOF Elevat	ion	WOF D	istance From A	Accide	ent Site		Direction From Accident Site			
			Ft	. MSL				NM De			Deg. Mag.		
Sky/Lowes	et Cloud Condition:					Ft. AGL	-	Condition of Light:					
Lowest Ce	iling:		Ft.	AGL	Visib	oility:		SM	Altimeter: "				
Temperatu	ıre: °C	Dew Point:	°C	Wind I	Direction	:			Density Altitude:				
Wind Spee	ed:	Gusts:		Weather Condtions at Accident Site:									
Visibility (R	RVR): Ft.	Visibility (R	/V)	SM	Intensit	ty of Precipitati	ion:						
Restriction	s to Visibility:												
Type of Pre	ecipitation:												
Accident	Information												
Aircraft Dar	mage: None		Aircraft Fir	e:			Aircraft Exp	olosio	n				
Classificati	on:												
- Injury Su	mmary Matrix	Fatal Se	rious Mino	or	None	TOTAL							
First Pi	lot												
Second	d Pilot												
Studen	t Pilot												
Flight I	nstructor												
Check	Pilot												
Flight E	ingineer												
Cabin A	Attendants												
Other C	Crew												
Passen	igers												
- TOTAL A	TOTAL ABOARD -												
Other G													
- GRAND	TOTAL -												

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AVIATION	Occurrence Type: Incident	
Administrative Information		
Investigator-In-Charge (IIC)		
Robert P. Benzon		
Additional Persons Participating in This Accident/Incide	ent Investigation:	